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24. A non-aqueous electrochemical apparatus according to  
claim 3, wherein the surface tension  $\gamma_1$  of electrolyte is 10-45  
dynes/cm.--

REMARKS

This Preliminary Amendment eliminates the multiple dependent  
claim status of claim 4 in order to avoid the multiple dependent  
claim surcharge.

New claims 23 & 24 are added in order to recapture the  
subject matter deleted in the amendment to claim 4.

Early and favorable consideration of this application is  
respectfully requested.

Respectfully submitted,



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## MARKED UP VERSION

4. (amended) A non-aqueous electrochemical apparatus according to [any one of claims] claim [1-3] 1, wherein the surface tension  $\gamma_1$  of electrolyte is 10-45 dynes/cm.